



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Edward A. Neuwelt et al.  
Application No. : 10/698,955  
Filed : October 31, 2003  
For : USE OF THIOL-BASED COMPOSITIONS IN TREATING  
CHEMOTHERAPEUTIC AGENT-INDUCED  
THROMBOCYTOPENIA

Examiner : Frank I. Choi  
Art Unit : 1616  
Docket No. : 720109.404  
Date : June 14, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated December 21, 2005, please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on June 21, 2006. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

**Claims Listing** begins on page 2 of this paper. There are presently no amendments to the claims, and the listing reflects the claims as originally filed.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.